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Title: MULTI-MODAL INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
Specification	112
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Under 35 USC §119(e)(1), this application claims the benefit of prior U.S. provisional application 60/439,981, filed January 14, 2003, which is related to United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/040,525, entitled INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM INCLUDING VOICE BROWSER AND DATA CONVERSION SERVER, to United States Provisional Application No. 60/348,579, entitled DATA CONVERSION SERVER FOR VOICE BROWSING SYSTEM, and to United States Provisional Application No. 60/350,923, entitled MULTI-MODE PLATFORM FOR INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM.

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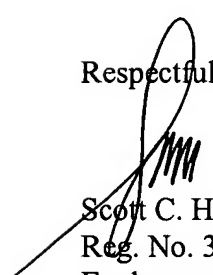
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